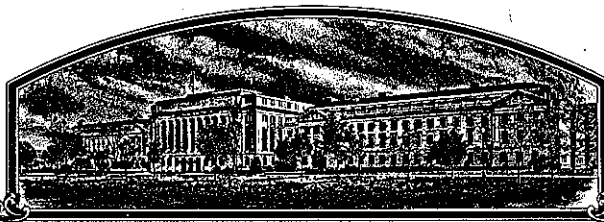


No.

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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

Northrup King Co.

Whereas, THERE HAS BEEN PRESENTED TO THE

Secretary of Agriculture

AN APPLICATION REQUESTING A CERTIFICATE OF PROTECTION FOR AN ALLEGED NOVEL VARIETY OF SEXUALLY REPRODUCED PLANT, THE NAME AND DESCRIPTION OF WHICH ARE CONTAINED IN THE APPLICATION AND EXHIBITS, A COPY OF WHICH IS HEREUNTO ANNEXED AND MADE A PART HEREOF, AND THE VARIOUS REQUIREMENTS OF LAW IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED HAVE BEEN COMPLIED WITH, AND THE TITLE THERETO IS, FROM THE RECORDS OF THE PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION OFFICE, IN THE APPLICANT(S), INDICATED IN THE SAID COPY, AND WHEREAS, UPON DUE EXAMINATION MADE, THE SAID APPLICANT(S) IS (ARE) ADJUDGED TO BE ENTITLED TO A CERTIFICATE OF PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION UNDER THE LAW.

NOW, THEREFORE, THIS CERTIFICATE OF PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION IS TO GRANT UNTO THE SAID APPLICANT(S) AND THE SUCCESSORS, HEIRS OR ASSIGNS OF THE SAID APPLICANT(S) FOR THE TERM OF *eighteen* YEARS FROM THE DATE OF THIS GRANT, SUBJECT TO THE PAYMENT OF THE REQUIRED FEES AND PERIODIC REPLENISHMENT OF VIABLE BASIC SEED OF THE VARIETY IN A PUBLIC REPOSITORY AS PROVIDED BY LAW, THE RIGHT TO EXCLUDE OTHERS FROM SELLING THE VARIETY, OR OFFERING IT FOR SALE, OR REPRODUCING IT, IMPORTING IT, OR EXPORTING IT, OR USING IT IN PRODUCING A HYBRID OR DIFFERENT VARIETY THEREFROM, TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED BY THE PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION ACT 1542, AS AMENDED, 7 U.S.C. 2321 ET SEQ.

SOYBEAN

'S14-60'



In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Plant Variety Protection Office to be affixed at the City of Washington this 29th day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-four.

Attest

Kenneth H. Evans
Commissioner

Plant Variety Protection Office
Livestock, Meat, Grain & Seed Division
Agricultural Marketing Service

John R. Block
Secretary of Agriculture

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE
LIVESTOCK, MEAT, GRAIN & SEED DIVISION

FORM APPROVED: OMB NO. 0581-0005

APPLICATION FOR PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION CERTIFICATE

(Instructions on reverse)

No certificate for plant variety protection may be issued unless a completed application form has been received (5 U.S.C. 553).

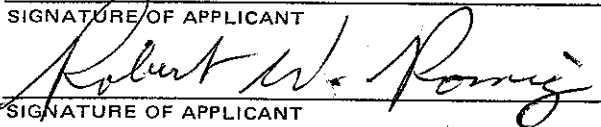
1. NAME OF APPLICANT(S) Northrup King Co.		2. TEMPORARY DESIGNATION 703041	3. VARIETY NAME S14-60
4. ADDRESS (Street and No. or R.F.D. No., City, State, and Zip Code) P. O. Box 959 Minneapolis, MN 55440		5. PHONE (Include area code) 612-781-8011	FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY VPPO NUMBER 8300088
6. GENUS AND SPECIES NAME Glycine max	7. FAMILY NAME (Botanical) Leguminosae		FILING DATE 3/28/83 TIME 9:30 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A.M. <input type="checkbox"/> P.M.
8. KIND NAME Soybeans	9. DATE OF DETERMINATION March, 1982		FEES RECEIVED AMOUNT FOR FILING \$ 1,000 DATE 3/28/83 AMOUNT FOR CERTIFICATE \$ 500.00 DATE 5/30/84
10. IF THE APPLICANT NAMED IS NOT A "PERSON," GIVE FORM OF ORGANIZATION (Corporation, partnership, association, etc.) Corporation			12. DATE OF INCORPORATION 1896
11. IF INCORPORATED, GIVE STATE OF INCORPORATION Delaware			
13. NAME AND ADDRESS OF APPLICANT REPRESENTATIVE(S), IF ANY, TO SERVE IN THIS APPLICATION AND RECEIVE ALL PAPERS Robert W. Romig Northrup King Co. P. O. Box 959 Minneapolis, MN 55440			
14. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX FOR EACH ATTACHMENT SUBMITTED			
a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exhibit A, Origin and Breeding History of the Variety (See Section 52 of the Plant Variety Protection Act.) b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exhibit B, Novelty Statement c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exhibit C, Objective Description of the Variety (Request form from Plant Variety Protection Office.) d. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exhibit D, Additional Description of the Variety			
15. DOES THE APPLICANT(S) SPECIFY THAT SEED OF THIS VARIETY BE SOLD BY VARIETY NAME ONLY AS A CLASS OF CERTIFIED SEED? (See Section 83(a) of the Plant Variety Protection Act.) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (If "Yes," answer items 16 and 17 below) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
16. DOES THE APPLICANT(S) SPECIFY THAT THIS VARIETY BE LIMITED AS TO NUMBER OF GENERATIONS? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		17. IF "YES" TO ITEM 16, WHICH CLASSES OF PRODUCTION BEYOND BREEDER SEED? <input type="checkbox"/> Foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Registered <input type="checkbox"/> Certified	
18. DID THE APPLICANT(S) FILE FOR PROTECTION OF THE VARIETY IN THE U.S. OR OTHER COUNTRIES? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (If "Yes," give names of countries and dates) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
19. HAVE RIGHTS BEEN GRANTED IN THE U.S. OR OTHER COUNTRIES? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (If "Yes," give names of countries and dates) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
20. The applicant(s) declare(s) that a viable sample of basic seeds of this variety will be furnished with the application and will be replenished upon request in accordance with such regulations as may be applicable. The undersigned applicant(s) is (are) the owner(s) of this sexually reproduced novel plant variety, and believe(s) that the variety is distinct, uniform, and stable as required in Section 41, and is entitled to protection under the provisions of Section 42 of the Plant Variety Protection Act. Applicant(s) is (are) informed that false representation herein can jeopardize protection and result in penalties.			
SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT 		DATE MARCH 21, 1983	
SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT		DATE	

EXHIBIT A

Origin and Breeding History of the Variety

- 1974-76 - We made the cross 'S1492' x 'Hodgson' and advanced the population to F₆. In October, 1976, we selected 100 single plants from the F₆ bulk.
- 1977 - We grew the 100 plant selections in F₇ progeny rows. One of these, numbered 703041, was selected on the basis of agronomic appearance to be tested in a preliminary Maturity Group I yield trial. This line was subsequently named S14-60.
- 1978-80 - We tested S14-60 in replicated yield trials at several northern and central corn belt locations and found it to yield well in comparison to other Group I varieties. We identified and confirmed the descriptive characteristics purple flower color, grey pubescence color, brown pod color, buff hilum color, and dull seed coat luster. We tested S14-60 for iron deficiency chlorosis in a field test and found it to be moderately resistant.
- In 1980, we made a small increase of S14-60 from 500 grams of carefully hand rogued seed. We removed all plants not conforming to the variety description by roguing the increase block several times. Growth and maturity were uniform.
- 1981-82 - We continued to test S14-60 in advanced Group I yield trials to confirm descriptive characteristics, mid Group I maturity, and yield capability.

We grew Breeder Seed of S14-60 in 1982. The Iowa Crop Improvement Association inspected the production field and found it to meet the requirements for Foundation Seed. S14-60 was accepted as eligible for Certification by the National Soybean Variety Review Board on December 9, 1982.

Variety S14-60 is stable and uniform. No variants have been observed in five years of yield testing and three years of seed increase of S14-60.

We will maintain varietal purity by use of progeny rows as needed.

EXHIBIT B

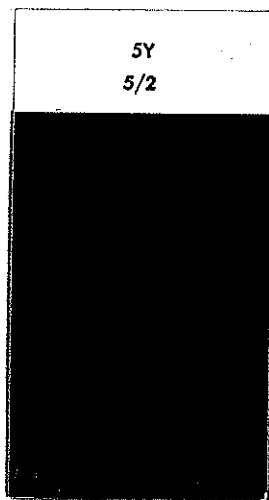
Novelty Statement for the Variety

Variety S14-60 is most similar to Hodgson, S1346, and S18-84. Hodgson has dark brown pods, S14-60 has medium brown pods. S14-60 has buff hilum color; S1346 has yellow hilum color. S14-60 has purple flower color, S18-84 has white flower color.

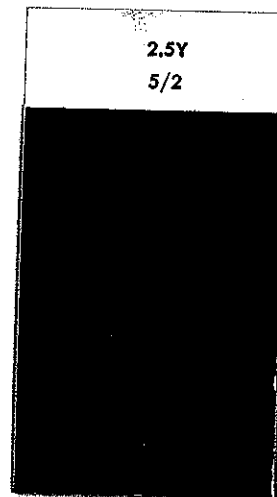
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Exhibit B

Soybean, 'S14-60' differs from Hodgson in the shade of pod color. Comparisons of pods shows that 'S14-60' is described by Munsell Color 5Y 5/2 whereas the color of Hodgson pods corresponds to Munsell Color 2.5Y 5/2. That is, 'S14-60' has a slight greenish coloration compared with a slight reddish coloration for Hodgson.



'S14-60'



Hodgson

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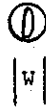
EXHIBIT C
 (Soybean)

OBJECTIVE DESCRIPTION OF VARIETY
 SOYBEAN (*Glycine max* L.)

NAME OF APPLICANT(S) Northrup King Co.	TEMPORARY DESIGNATION 703041	VARIETY NAME S14-60
ADDRESS (Street and No., or R.F.D. No., City, State, and Zip Code) P. O. Box 959 Minneapolis, MN 55440		FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY PVPO NUMBER 8300088

Choose the appropriate response which characterizes the variety in the features described below. When the number of significant digits in your answer is fewer than the number of boxes provided, place a zero in the first box when number is 9 or less (e.g.,).

1. SEED SHAPE:

 PNR


1 = Spherical (L/W, L/T, and T/W ratios = < 1.2)
 3 = Elongate (L/T ratio > 1.2; T/W = < 1.2)

2 = Spherical Flattened (L/W ratio > 1.2; L/T ratio = < 1.2)
 4 = Elongate Flattened (L/T ratio > 1.2; T/W > 1.2)

2. SEED COAT COLOR: (Mature Seed)

1 = Yellow

2 = Green

3 = Brown

4 = Black

5 = Other (Specify) _____

3. SEED COAT LUSTER: (Mature Hand Shelled Seed)

1 = Dull ('Corsoy 79'; 'Braxton')

2 = Shiny ('Nebsoy'; 'Gasoy 17')

4. SEED SIZE: (Mature Seed)

Grams per 100 seeds

5. HILUM COLOR: (Mature Seed)

1 = Buff

2 = Yellow

3 = Brown

4 = Gray

5 = Imperfect Black

6 = Black

7 = Other (Specify) _____

6. COTYLEDON COLOR: (Mature Seed)

1 = Yellow

2 = Green

7. SEED PROTEIN PEROXIDASE ACTIVITY:

1 = Low

2 = High

8. SEED PROTEIN ELECTROPHORETIC BAND:

1 = Type A (SP1^a)2 = Type B (SP1^b)

9. HYPOCOTYL COLOR:

1 = Green only ('Evans'; 'Davis')

2 = Green with bronze band below cotyledons ('Woodworth'; 'Tracy')

3 = Light Purple below cotyledons ('Beeson'; 'Pickett 71')

4 = Dark Purple extending to unifoliate leaves ('Hodgson'; 'Coker Hampton 266A')

10. LEAFLET SHAPE:

1 = Lanceolate

2 = Oval

3 = Ovate

4 = Other (Specify) _____

11. LEAFLET SIZE:

☐ 21 = Small ('Amsoy 71'; 'A5312')
3 = Large ('Crawford'; 'Tracy')

2 = Medium ('Corsoy 79'; 'Gasoy 17')

12. LEAF COLOR:

☐ 21 = Light Green ('Weber'; 'York')
3 = Dark Green ('Gnome'; 'Tracy')

2 = Medium Green ('Corsoy 79'; 'Braxton')

13. FLOWER COLOR:

☐ 2

1 = White

2 = Purple

3 = White with purple throat

14. POD COLOR:

☐ 2

1 = Tan

2 = Brown

3 = Black

15. PLANT PUBESCENCE COLOR:

☐ 1

1 = Gray

2 = Brown (Tawny)

16. PLANT TYPES:

☐ 21 = Slender ('Essex'; 'Amsoy 71')
3 = Bushy ('Gnome'; 'Govan')

2 = Intermediate ('Amcor'; 'Braxton')

17. PLANT HABIT:

☐ 3

1 = Determinate ('Gnome'; 'Braxton')

2 = Semi-Determinate ('Will')

3 = Indeterminate ('Nebsoy'; 'Improved Pelican')

18. MATURITY GROUP:

☐ 0 ☐ 4

1 = 000

2 = 00

3 = 0

4 = I

5 = II

6 = III

7 = IV

8 = V

9 = VI

10 = VII

11 = VIII

12 = IX

13 = X

19. DISEASE REACTION: (Enter 0 = Not Tested; 1 = Susceptible; 2 = Resistant)

BACTERIAL DISEASES:

☐ 0Bacterial Pustule (*Xanthomonas phaseoli* var. *sojensis*)☐ 1Bacterial Blight (*Pseudomonas glycinea*)☐ 0Wildfire (*Pseudomonas tabaci*)

FUNGAL DISEASES:

☐ 1Brown Spot (*Septoria glycines*)Frogeye Leaf Spot (*Cercospora sojina*)☐ 0

Race 1

☐ 0

Race 2

☐ 0

Race 3

☐ 0

Race 4

☐ 0

Race 5

☐ 0

Other (Specify)

☐ 0Target Spot (*Corynespora cassicola*)☐ 0Downy Mildew (*Peronospora trifoliorum* var. *manshurica*)☐ 0Powdery Mildew (*Microsphaera diffusa*)☐ 1Brown Stem Rot (*Cephalosporium gregatum*)☐ 0Stem Canker (*Diaporthe phaseolorum* var. *caulivora*)

19. DISEASE REACTION: (Enter 0 = Not Tested; 1 = Susceptible; 2 = Resistant) (Continued)

FUNGAL DISEASES: (Continued)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Pod and Stem Blight (<i>Diaporthe phaseolorum</i> var. <i>sojae</i>)												
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Purple Seed Stain (<i>Cercospora kikuchii</i>)												
<input type="checkbox"/> 0	Rhizoctonia Root Rot (<i>Rhizoctonia solani</i>)												
Phytophthora Rot (<i>Phytophthora megasperma</i> var. <i>sojae</i>)													
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 6	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 7
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 8	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 9	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Specify) _____								

VIRAL DISEASES:

<input type="checkbox"/> 0	Bud Blight (Tobacco Ringspot Virus)
<input type="checkbox"/> 0	Yellow Mosaic (Bean Yellow Mosaic Virus)
<input type="checkbox"/> 0	Cowpea Mosaic (Cowpea Chlorotic Virus)
<input type="checkbox"/> 0	Pod Mottle (Bean Pod Mottle Virus)
<input type="checkbox"/> 0	Seed Mottle (Soybean Mosaic Virus)

NEMATODE DISEASES:

Soybean Cyst Nematode (<i>Heterodera glycines</i>)									
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Race 4	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Specify) _____
<input type="checkbox"/> 0	Lance Nematode (<i>Hoplolaimus Colombus</i>)								
<input type="checkbox"/> 0	Southern Root Knot Nematode (<i>Meloidogyne incognita</i>)								
<input type="checkbox"/> 0	Northern Root Knot Nematode (<i>Meloidogyne Hapla</i>)								
<input type="checkbox"/> 0	Peanut Root Knot Nematode (<i>Meloidogyne arenaria</i>)								
<input type="checkbox"/> 0	Reniform Nematode (<i>Rotylenchulus reniformis</i>)								
<input type="checkbox"/>	OTHER DISEASE NOT ON FORM (Specify): _____								

20. PHYSIOLOGICAL RESPONSES: (Enter 0 = Not Tested; 1 = Susceptible; 2 = Resistant)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2	Iron Chlorosis on Calcareous Soil
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Specify) _____

21. INSECT REACTION: (Enter 0 = Not Tested; 1 = Susceptible; 2 = Resistant)

<input type="checkbox"/> 0	Mexican Bean Beetle (<i>Epilachna varivestis</i>)
<input type="checkbox"/> 0	Potato Leaf Hopper (<i>Empoasca fabae</i>)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Specify) _____

22. INDICATE WHICH VARIETY MOST CLOSELY RESEMBLES THAT SUBMITTED.

CHARACTER	NAME OF VARIETY	CHARACTER	NAME OF VARIETY
Plant Shape	S18-84	Seed Coat Luster	Hodgson 78
Leaf Shape	Hodgson 78	Seed Size	Hodgson 78
Leaf Color	Hodgson 78	Seed Shape	Hodgson 78
Leaf Size	Hodgson 78	Seedling Pigmentation	Hodgson 78

23. GIVE DATA FOR SUBMITTED AND SIMILAR STANDARD VARIETY: Paired Comparison Data

VARIETY	NO. OF DAYS MATURITY	PLANT LODGING SCORE	CM PLANT HEIGHT	LEAFLET SIZE		SEED CONTENT		SEED SIZE G/100 SEEDS	NO. SEEDS/POD
				CM Width	CM Length	% Protein	% Oil		
Submitted	119	2.1	84	5.0	9.8	41.5	20.3	16.9	2-3
Hodgson 78 Name of Similar Variety	117	2.7	89	4.3	9.5	41.5	21.4	16.6	2-3

PUBLICATIONS USEFUL AS REFERENCE AIDS FOR COMPLETING THIS FORM:

1. Caldwell, B.E., ed. 1973. Soybeans: Improvement, Production, and Uses. Amer. Soc. Agron. Monograph No. 16.
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EXHIBIT D

Additional Description of the Variety

Soybean variety Sl4-60 is a medium Group I variety maturing about 2 days later than Hodgson 78. Sl4-60 has good seedling emergence, moderate resistance to iron chlorosis, and excellent standability. It has normal levels of tolerance to the herbicides Sencor, Basagran, and Blazer.